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In re application of: Sudolcan et al.

Application No: 09/766,820

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For: A BEVERAGE DISPENSER
INCLUDING AN IMPROVED
ELECTRONIC CONTROL SYSTEM

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Sir:

Applicant presents this response to the Office Action dated September 25, 2002. A request for a one-month extension of time is enclosed herewith.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend page 2, lines 2-3, as follows:

Cross-Reference to Related Application

B1 This application is a divisional application of U.S. Patent No. 6,421,583, which issued July 16, 2002.

REMARKS

Claim 60 remains in the referenced application.

The Specification has been amended to provide the current status of this application's parent.

Claims 60 stands rejected under 35 U.S.C. §102(b) by Bethuy et al. (U.S. Patent No. 5,732,563 - hereinafter referred to as Bethuy). Applicant respectfully traverses the above-recited

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